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FRATERNITY MEETINGS.

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11.
Stated Convocation, Friday evening, Oct. 9.
REC'DEN G. CHENEY, H. P.
DELOS M. BACOS, Secretary.

Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. and A. M.
Regular Communication, Thursday evening, Oct. 8.
ARTHUR G. SPRAGUE, W. M.
DELOS M. BACOS, Secretary.

Palestine Commandery, No. 5, K. T.
Stated Conclave, Tuesday eve., Oct. 9.
FRANCIS DECK, E. C.
DELOS M. BACOS, Recorder.

Knights of Pythias.
Regular Convention of Apollo Lodge, No. 2, Tuesday eve., Sept. 22.
H. W. ELLIS, K. R. S.

Modern Woodmen of America.
Regular meetings of Asionia Camp, No. 5149, are held first and third Tuesdays in each month. Next meeting Sept. 22, 1908.
J. J. PICKERING, Clerk.
DAVID IRWIN, V. C.

NEW ADS. THIS WEEK.

Girl Wanted.
House to Rent.
Be Practical—First National Bank.
Oysters—Spaulding's Market.
Suits—Frank G. Landry.
Insurance—W. W. Sprague & Son.
Notice to Tax-payers.
Stoves—C. H. Goss Co.
Clothing—Berry-Ball Dry Goods Co.
Pres. of Account—James Tinger's Est.
Dress Skirts—Louise & Smythe.
New Goods—Lawrence P. Leach & Co.
Auction—H. L. Ayer.
Same-Old-Ad—Chas. S. Hastings.
Automobiles—Bundy & Woods.
Special Notice—F. O. Clark.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Rooms to rent, 46 Summer street.
How about some Colonial Wax Floor Paint and Kyanize Floor Varnish, natural and colors. They're all right.
Try the American Throat Tablets.
The Summerville Wood Yard has enlarged its business by adding coal to its list.
Use American Little Liver Tablets.
Have you heard about the big trades in Stone surface roofing at Follensby & Peck's? A big stock is to be disposed of. Needs no painting.

Mrs. Harry E. Harden has returned from New York with a fine line of early fall hats. She will make announcement of her opening later.

LOCAL GATHERINGS.

—Hodge's Orchestra are playing every night this week for the Lorne Elwyn Co., at Music Hall.

—The Independent Order of Foresters, Court Moose River, No. 1930, will hold a class initiation on September 22, to be followed by an oyster supper. High court officers are expected to be present.

—New patients at the St. Johnsbury Hospital are Mrs. William Gill, Maurice Portelaia, Mrs. Moise Audet, Mrs. Patrick Leonard and Joseph Laroche of St. Johnsbury, Mrs. Donald Petrie of Rochester, N. H., and Norah Perras of Northfield. Patients discharged are Mrs. G. Leclerc, Miss Gertrude Ramsey, W. L. Pope of St. Johnsbury and Ernest Silver.

—The north window at Greene & Brown's is attracting much attention by its clever exhibit of Bull Dog suspenders and four tiny Boston bull puppies.

Death of Mr. Carpenter.

Charles Lyman Carpenter, oldest son of the late Horace and Rachel Barron Carpenter, who has been in failing health for several months, died at his home on Spring street Sunday night. Mr. Carpenter was born in Chelsea, April 11, 1837, from whence he removed with his parents to St. Johnsbury in 1853. In May 1862 he married Miss Ellen Hazelton, who died in May, 1903. For several years Mr. Carpenter was in company with his father in the sash, door, blind and lumber business, and since the scale factory burned in 1876 he has worked as a house carpenter, until his health failed. He leaves three sons, Joseph D., Charles Walter, who with his family have lived with his father, for the past few years, and Guy Hazelton; also two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Bishop of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. Charles P. Carpenter of this place. Funeral services will be held at his late home this afternoon, with interment in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

A "Hikers Club" will be organized. Will all senior members interested in walking please leave their names with the physical director this week, and walks through the country will be planned.

The gymnasium classes commence Saturday, Sept. 19. Hours as follows:
Juniors: Wednesday afternoon, 4.30 to 5.45; Saturday morning, 10.45 to 11.45.

Intermediate boys: Thursday afternoon, 4.30 to 5.45; Saturday morning, 9.15 to 10.30.

Academy class: Monday afternoon, 4.45 to 5.45; Friday afternoon, 4.45 to 5.45.

Employed class: Tuesday evening, 7.15 to 8.15; Thursday evening, 7.15 to 8.15.

Clerks' class: Wednesday evening, 7.45 to 8.45; Friday evening, 7.45 to 8.45.

A business man's class will be organized, which will meet in the evening; also a professional man's class, which will meet in the morning. Hours will be given at a later date.

The Typhoid Fever Situation.

The CALEDONIAN has refrained from saying much about the typhoid fever epidemic in this village the past summer, yet so many erroneous and exaggerated reports have been circulated outside this community that it is time the real facts were known.

There have been 45 cases here this summer and of these three have been fatal. About half the cases were traced to the contaminated spring off Caledonia street where the children drank the water on their picnic the last day of school. There were no fatal cases from this source.

Two fatal cases were attributed to the milk and that this was the cause has now been ascertained. The health officer sent to the state laboratory at Burlington samples of both the milk and the water from the spring which supplied the house and barns. The water in this spring was found to contain the colon bacilli, presumably having leached into the spring from an adjacent corn field which was heavily fertilized this spring. This spring has now been condemned to avoid any further return of the disease and the milkman gets his water from a spring far removed from the contaminated one.

There have also been individual cases, some of them in isolated parts of the town and one at Hillside Hill fatal, which cannot be traced to any source.

The health officer informs the CALEDONIAN that the epidemic is lessening and he is in constant communication with all the St. Johnsbury physicians and the State Board of Health to keep posted on any developments.

County Sunday School Association.

Following is the program for the Caledonia County Sunday School convention at Danville, September 23 and 24.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.
5.00 Service of Song.
5.15 Organization.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.
7.00 Devotional Period.
7.20 Address, by Rev. H. Paul Douglas, D. D., New York City.

8.00 Address, by Rev. E. M. Fuller, State Secretary.

THURSDAY MORNING.
3.00 Morning Prayers.

4.5 Home Department Hour, in charge of H. A. Kenney, County Superintendent, and Miss Balch, State Superintendent.

9.45 How may We Strengthen the Teaching Force of Our Sunday Schools?

(a) The Pastor's Part, by Rev. W. Seward Wallace.

(b) The Superintendent's Part, by A. O. Tibbs.

(c) The Teacher's Part, by Walter C. Rollins.

10.45 Discussion.

11.15 The Organized Adult Class, by Rev. J. A. McKirahan.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.
1.00 Business Session.

2.15 The Sunday School an Evangelizing Agency.

(a) Through the Elementary Department, by Rev. C. W. Kelley.

(b) Through the Intermediate Department, by C. A. Palmer.

(c) Through the Missionary Department, by Rev. F. E. White.

3.15 Discussion.

Capital Notes.

Governor-elect George H. Prouty has appointed Aaron H. Grout of Newport as secretary of civil and military affairs.

Mr. Grout was chief executive clerk under Gov. F. D. Proctor during the last session of legislature and is a son of ex-Gov. Grout.

The features of the legislature known as "Ladies Week" will begin October 18. The governor's hall will be given in Armory hall, Thursday evening, October 22.

The society of the Daughters of the War of 1812 will unveil a tablet at the state house this fall in honor of the soldiers of that war. The exercises will take place on October 21, in the representative hall. The tablet will be about the size of the one now at the right of the entrance of the hall, and will be hung on the left side of the entrance.

On Tuesday morning, Oct. 20, at 10 o'clock the Colonial Dames will hold a meeting in the Wood Art gallery and in the afternoon a reception will be given in the same place to the Dames and Daughters of the Revolution. On Thursday morning, Oct. 22, a session of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held, followed by one in the afternoon and in the evening a reception will probably be given.

Meeting of the Seventy Club.

The Seventy Club met Thursday, September 10, at the home of Mrs. Marietta West to help her celebrate her 84th birthday. Eleven members were present. This was the first meeting the club has held since November 23. After devotional exercises these officers for the ensuing year were elected:

President, Mrs. Laurette Bingham.
Vice President, Mrs. Mary J. Matthews.
Secretary, Mrs. Sarah P. Lucas.
Assistant Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Mitchell.

Mrs. Bingham has been president for many years and all expressed great pleasure in her re-election to the place she has so ably filled. After the business meeting dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. West and her daughter, Mrs. Charles H. West, and a social hour followed, which was much enjoyed by all present.

New Catholic Society.

An association for the young men of the Congregation of Notre Dame des Victoires was formed last Sunday, when about 125 were present and 33 have already expressed a desire to join. The association is formed for the purpose of grouping the young men together for amusement and guidance in all their enterprises. All kinds of amusements will be at their disposition. Another meeting will be held next Sunday when officers will be elected.

Lorne Elwyn This Week.

No one of the large audience that attended the opening play presented by the Lorne Elwyn Co., Monday evening, went away feeling that he did not get his money's worth, for this company is stronger and better than ever, and the plays presented are far above the average play presented by a repertoire company. Mr. Elwyn received a cordial welcome from his old friends and with his leading lady, Miss Keene, received generous applause for their artistic work. They will be here for the entire week and on Friday night will present Hall Caine's "Christina". Get your seats early if you want good ones.

In the past it has been necessary to go to New York or Boston to witness a first class play and many have done that, but arrangements are completed for bringing some of these great plays right to our doors, to New Music Hall, and on Friday, Sept. 25, the first of these great successes, "Strongheart," will come to St. Johnsbury, having a record like the "Man of the Hour." No man, woman, or child should miss seeing this wonderful play of college life, and see it without the expense of a trip to the city. Seats will go on sale Monday, Sept. 21.

A Minister's Meeting.

A meeting of the Caledonia Association of Congregational Ministers was held at the North church chapel yesterday afternoon, 12 members attending. The program included the sermon by Rev. J. F. Schneider of Danville; report on Silver Bay Conference by Rev. A. H. Gage; and an exegesis of Matthew 4:1-11, by Rev. G. W. C. Hill.

Auction.

Having sold my farm known as the Charlie Shaw farm in North Danville, I will sell at Public Auction on

Wednesday, September 23,

at 10 o'clock A. M. the following stock and farming implements consisting of: 8 extra good cows, 3 coming in this month, 2 yearling heifers, 3 calves, 1 brown mare eleven years old, weight 1100 lbs.; 1 pair matched bay colts, 2 and 3 years old; 1 yearling colt, 1 sucking colt, 25 tons hay, plows, harrows, wheelbarrow, harness, chains, and all other farming implements. Also a lot of 16 inch wood.

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